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## Temperance.

To the Public:

The article by our genial neighbor Jones in the News of Feb. 11th, under the above caption, is hardly true to its title. While appearing to admit that temperance is a virtue, the writer evidently means to give an underhand stab to the holy cause of temperance and prohibition. And yet he is so indefinite and insinuating in his treatment of the subject that his exact position is not easy for a stranger to see. His piece is somewhat like the celebrated fifteenth and sixteenth chapters of Gibbon "Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire" in one respect. In those chapters Gibbon makes a covert, insinuating, sneaking attack on Christianity, while at the opening he seems to admit its divine origin. In all the elaborate discussions, and stately sentences of those chapters he never once reveals directly his position on Christianity. So it is with Bro. Jones. But we who know him have not the slightest difficulty in understanding his position and the animus of his piece. As he fights somewhat in the dark and among the bushes it is not so easy a task to reply as it would be if he had fought squarely in the open. But I will select a few points where he seems to show his hand in fighting Prohibition. In his second sentence he makes his first fling at our cause. "We speak of the same standpoint from which X X views the subject and the Pharisaic manner in which it is often discussed". I presume that from Dr. Jones' view point any one who advocates total abstinence from strong drink, and the prohibition of manufacture and sale of same for beverage purposes is guilty of discussing the subject in a Pharisaic manner. To discuss it in a sane way is to say that whiskey is a good thing to use, provided you do not make a habit of getting beastly drunk, that it is a medicine good for all the physical ills of humanity, and that everybody should be allowed to make and sell it who desires so to do. The sainted men and women like John B. Gough, Clinton B. Fisk, Henry Grady, T. S. Arthur, Hale Johnson, J. B. Finch, Frances E. Willard, Clara C. Hoffman, J. A. Brooks and others who spoke and wrote and sacrificed in behalf of total abstinence and Prohibition were all hypocritical pharisees according to the Doctor's view of the case. Daniel was a chief of the Pharisees and the Rechabites a tribe of Pharisees. (see Jer. 35th chapter.) The prophet Habakkuk must have been treating the subject in a Pharisaic manner when he said "Woe unto him that giveth his neighbor drink: that putteth thy bottle to him and maketh him drunken" (Hab. 2:15) The Bible doctrine of temperance, the common sense doctrine, the scientific doctrine, is total abstinence from all that is harmful and moderation in the use of that which is good.

The Doctor gives us a long disquisition on the old way of making the stuff, on the taxation of the same, and on the, then and the now, of liquor drinking and its results. He claims that liquor drinking causes four-fold more evil according to the amount consumed now, than it did then. Well, my understanding is that whisky and brandy, even in their purity, would always make people drunk and cause trouble, and even the Doctor himself admits that in the good old days of his youth they caused fights. Now if the quality of liquor is so much worse at present than it used to be, why not stop the making of it altogether? That is certainly a good argument for Prohibition. But he says the liquor of the good old days contained more songs than fights. Well, are we to conclude that he has kept in store all these long years a supply of the inspiring beverage of old, and that to it we are to ascribe the poetic effusions from his pen that have appeared from time to time in the News? It is said that Poe's poem the "Raven" was inspired by the juice of corn and that the raven which perched above his chamber door was delirium tremens, "simply this and nothing more."

Bro Jones claims that when a dozen distilleries were being operated in Russell county, and mint julep was served out in washing tubs on election day without money and without price, that all the evil results were a little extra enthusiasm on the part of a few, a political fisticuff or two, and a number of old toppers somewhat soaked on public days. This seems to me to be quite a large fish story, but as he has proved part of it by John Smith. I will not call for proof on the rest of it. But if this all be true, what bearing does it have on the merits of the question today? Put a dozen distilleries into operation in Russell county now, and serve the sweetened mint julep in tubs and tin cups free of charge, and put the liquor at every public gathering and what would be the result?

Everybody knows. So that is not the thing to do. Present conditions are bad. I understand that perhaps forty men were drunk at Jamestown last Monday. What is the remedy? Stop the manufacture. That has never been done yet, and the temperance question will never be settled till it is done.

Just here I wish to note another point. The present generation is now reaping the harvest that was sown in the good old days of which the Doctor makes so much. The men who drank their morning dram, who drank freely at elections, at log rolling, at corn huskings, at house raisings, and on all public occasions, became the fathers of a generation of natural drunkards, by acquiring an appetite and transmitting it to their children. Inherited thirst for strong drink is now so prevalent that the prohibition of the manufacture and sale is a necessity for securing peace and good order. I knew a preacher in Texas who told me that he had a natural craving for strong drink, and he had once been silenced from preaching because he had yielded to this craving. He was simply a victim of inherited appetite and deserved pity.

Tobias Huffaker.

## YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO GO OUT WEST.

### Lowest Railroad Fares of the Season.

From March 15th to April 15th inclusive, the Missouri Pacific offers very low rates to the West and North west. Through tourist sleeping cars and through free chair car service. It will pay you to write at once for leaflet containing full information.

Address Paul Escott, D. P. A., 304 Paul Jones Bldg., Louisville, Ky.

Various reports of a criticising nature have spread over this section concerning the use of ensilage, due to the fact that Mr. W. T. Dohoney lost eleven head of horses that had been fed from his silo. So far as we have been able to learn the analysis of the ensilage showed ptomaine poison. This may occur in feed that has never been put in a silo and reports from various parts of the State show that many horses have died under similar circumstances on dry feed. Again it is reported that cattle also have died in this county from eating ensilage. This report is unfounded. There are only seven silos in the county and not a single case of any cattle being affected, but to the reverse every one is taking on flesh and doing fine. Those who do not want a silo do not have to buy one. Those who are using them are well pleased.

## Poland Chines.

Two pure-bred Improved Poland China male pigs for sale. Will weigh about 100 pounds. Good ones and true to type of breeding. Price \$10.00 each if taken at once. Last notice. C. S. Harris, Columbia, Ky.

There are nine old Federal soldiers in this county who were born in 1844. They are B. F. Chewning, H. B. Ingram, B. F. Roe, J. B. Garmon, Joel Moore, J. K. P. Dixon, James Morrison, John Luttrell, Al Harper. The above information was obtained from Will C. Dohoney, who is a walking Encyclopedia, one of the best historians of modern events in Adair county.

The Company who accepted the contract to replace the bridge across Green river at Plum Point is moving too slow to suit the people who will be benefitted by the rebuilding of the structure. The contract was awarded last October, and the bridge is not yet in sight.

R. C. Rhode Island Reds egg \$1.00 per setting of 15.

Mrs. Sallie Wilson, Gresham, Ky.

The roads in this county are in a fearful condition and have been for several weeks. We know a party who went from Columbia to Jamestown, a few days ago, driving a double team, and he was seven hours going over the road, traveling all the time. The distance is 18 miles.

Opal, a seven year old daughter of Mr. Alvin Loy, died in the Gaudy neighborhood last Wednesday. She was a victim of pulmonary trouble. The interment was Thursday forenoon.

Seven shows in Columbia last week, four at the court house and three at the Parlor Circle.

## The Village Post Office.

The above named play was pulled off at the court-house last Wednesday night, under the management of the ladies of the Eastern Star Chapter, this place. The court room was filled to its capacity, many having to stand in order to witness the play. There were more than thirty characters, all home talent, and some very fine acting was put on. In fact, the rendering of this play proved, beyond question, that there is much talent in Columbia. If there was a mistake made during the entire evening, it was not discovered by the audience, hence all who took part have a right to feel satisfied with their efforts.

There were a number before the foot lights, who deserve special mention, as their acting and singing would have done credit to performers who have long been on the road. Henry Hancock, representing an old colored man, was in a class to himself, and the colored quartette, the impersonators being Lee Grissom, J. E. Flowers, Elva Jones and Audrey Wilson, brought down the house. Mrs. John Sandusky, Misses Mabel Atkins, Edna Lewis, Nettie Clark, Mary Garnett, Alva Knight, Messrs. Jo Harris, Rex Holladay, Clay Smith, Luther Gaudyberry, Count Stults, Smith Gill and Ed Diddle played their parts to perfection, and Leon Lewis, Ed Willis, Harry Sims, Geo. Hancock and Miss Dora Eubank were on their parts, acting faultlessly. Albia Eubank, Guy Stevenson and Tom Patteson kept the audience in an uproar, and James Arvin and Mrs. Geo. E. Wilson made most efficient postmasters.

Miss Pearl Nave, drilled the performers and she deserves great credit for the satisfactory manner in which the play was rendered.

Those who were not present can draw an estimate of the number who were present by the receipts of the evening, \$55.00; the admission fees being 10 and 15 cents.

## Public Sale.

On Saturday, the 21st of February, we will sell at public outcry at our barn in Roley, the following: Five mule teams, wagons and harness, two heavy horse teams, two good jacks, three good jennets, one stallion, two cows to be fresh in the spring, a pair of coming yearling mules, two good brood mares heavy in foal. Also saw mill, hay baler, binder, reaper, wheat drill, double seated vehicle and many other things not here given. This sale is for the purpose of terminating a partnership business and the property will be sold. Terms: eight months time with interest from date, note to be properly secured.

Wolford Bros, Casey Creek.

Mr. W. C. Dohoney reports to this office that only nine of Cap. O. B. Patteson's company now live in Adair county, two of the number were born in Russell, one in Tennessee, one in Rockcastle county, Ky. The other five are natives of Adair. There are living in Adair 22 of the 13th Kentucky Calvary.

## Notice.

I am now located in my repair shop, in the brick building, opposite Goff Bros., Livery stable, in the house recently vacated by Bill Curry. I am now prepared to do almost any kind of work. I am going to prepare to do all kinds of work. All I want is the work to do. If you patronize me like you ought to, it won't be long until I will have machinery installed to do all kinds of work. We desire the work from the people.

T. G. Rasner & son.

Wm Irvine, Sr. and Wm. H. Irvine, both of Russell Springs, purchased of W. H. Goff, last Wednesday, the residence on Burkesville street, occupied by the latter, with livery barn attached, for \$2,500, possession to be given the first of April to the residence.

## For Sale.

Two teams of good work mules. One team fully 15½ hands. The other extra heavy. Age and flesh good. 15-3t. A. B. Cox, Columbia, Ky.

Born, to the wife of T. A. Murrell, in Lebanon, February 18, a son—Thomas Allen Murrell, Jr., weight, 10 pounds. The mother and little one are doing nicely and the father is writing insurance.

Mr Thomas Morrow, recently of Somerset bar, has located in Jamestown for the purpose of practicing his profession. His office will be in the second story of the bank building.

## Cane Valley, No. 1.

We are having plenty of rain this week.

Mr. W. R. Squires, of Columbia, was here one day last week.

Mrs. G. B. Hendrickson, who has been visiting relatives at this place, has returned to her home in Lebanon Junction.

Mr. J. W. Judd, a well-known carpenter of this place, is working in Lebanon, repairing a building for the installation of a new moving picture show.

Dr. Hancock informs us that the health of this community is very good at this time, and that the people are in better health than they have been in the month of February for several years.

Mr. Jim Durham was here one day last week looking for hogs and cattle.

Mr. J. C. Bault is still buying and shipping tobacco. Mr. Bault and Mr. W. E. Keltner are both liberal buyers.

Mr. Willie Callison, of Campbellsville, spent Sunday and Sunday night with his parents at this place.

Mr. R. P. Bridgewater and nephews, Allen and Abbott, attended the funeral of Mrs. Alvin Bridgewater in Lebanon last Sunday.

The farmers of this community are nearly all through breaking their land, and have burned quite a number of plant beds; and the prospects look good for a large tobacco crop.

Miss Rachel Callison, of Middlesboro, who has been visiting relatives at this place, returned home last week.

Mrs. Laura Christie, who has been on the sick list for several days, is some better this week.

Mrs. Alice Hendrickson, of this place, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ed Hopewell, of Louisville.

Mr. Marshal Steel, of Illinois, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. T. F. Corbin.

Mr. Mark Wilson, our new neighbor and blacksmith, is moving along nicely, and we are glad to have him with us.

Mr. J. C. Pierce, representing the Roberts, Johnston & Rand Shoe Co., was here last week.

Mr. J. W. Smith has opened a new grocery store at this place.

Mr. James Woodrum was called last Monday to the bedside of his father who is very ill at Merriam.

The young men of this place are trying to organize a Brass Band. They have purchased a few horns and we hope they will be successful.

Miss Catherine Page is attending school in Bradfordsville.

## Now is Your Chance.

During the months of December, January and February we will furnish the daily Courier-Journal and the Adair County News one year each, for \$4.00. This offer is made to people who do not get their mail at the Columbia Post Office. Mr. J. W. Flowers, who is the local agent, will take subscriptions for the Courier-Journal at \$3.00 per year for the home people during these months.

## Cane Valley, No. 2.

Mr. George Banks, of Dallas, Texas, was here to see his father, Mr. S. G. Banks, last week.

Vester Murrell has moved to Dayton, Ohio, with his family to make their future home.

Dennis Eubank, our present postmaster, was the only person from this place before the Civil Service Board at Lebanon last week.

Mr. W. R. Hutchison, one of our best business men, who has been in the grocery business for fifteen years, is closing out his stock and going to try something else for a living.

The mail cars are making good time with mail and passengers in spite of the rainy weather and muddy roads.

Wyatt Feese was in Louisville last week and bought twelve months supply of iron, tin, wire and zinc for his broom manufacturing establishment at this place.

Bunk Gill, of Columbia, was here last week buying cattle. He bought about twenty head from A. R. Feese and Curt Yarberry.

Mr. Robert Bault, one of our best farmers, who has been confined to his home for two months, is not improving very much.

## Mrs. C. M. Russell Entertains.

On Saturday afternoon, Feb. 14th, Mrs. C. M. Russell entertained the Music and Dramatic Club.

Everything was in keeping with St. Valentines day and it was voted by all to be one of the most delightful meetings the Club has had.

An interesting program consisting of musical and expression numbers were rendered, the following taking part: Misses Hewitt, Walker, Murrell, Feese, Hogard, Montgomery, and Mrs. Russell.

The guests of the Club were Mesdames Gordon Montgomery and Rollin Hurt. Mrs. Hurt delighted all present with a beautiful vocal selection.

A prize was given for the best original Valentine and was won by Miss Mary Chandler.

Elegant refreshments were served and the Club adjourned to meet Feb. 22nd, with Miss Katie Murrell.

Extra good shows at the Parlor Circle this week, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights. Several new selections of music.

## Public Sale.

The undersigned will offer for sale to the highest bidder, on Tuesday, March 3rd, the following property:

1 span of Mules, 3 and 4 years old, good matches, sound and well broke to work. One Mare 5 years old, works any where, rides well and in foal by a good Jack. Two good Milk Cows. A good supply of farm implements. Household and Kitchen furniture, all new and good. Also 15 or 20 barrels of Corn.

The sale will be held at my home on Butler's Fork, one mile north of Bliss, better known as the Luther Blakeman farm or the old Sam Sherill place.

Come everybody. Sale begins at ten o'clock. Sam Breeding auctioneer. George Shirley.

## Ex-Officio.

I have always thought that the officials of a community were clothed with power to enforce the law and keep the peace, and that the law applied to all men and not a few. I just thought this, but I might have thought wrong. It doesn't take field glasses to see that some fellows are allowed all the rope that binds others tight. When a man gets drunk and howls like a hyena, takes the whole width of the sidewalk, and puts him self on dress parade in that condition, does he need to be dealt with? Why make country men and boys walk the chalk mark when they come to town, when most of these town fellows are not molested when they do wrong? From testimony introduced before the court, I supposed that the "eider shack" as they call it, was responsible for all the drunkenness in this town, but since it has closed out, I have noticed that there is about as much, if not more drinking now than there was then. There must be something wrong somewhere. Men get intoxicated on whisky, and it must be the "empty suit case" brigade that caused it—what I mean by this is when fellows leave here with suit cases with not a thing on earth in them, any body who can comprehend knows they come back full.

What I say will not amount to a continental any way, but I say it just the same.

Fred McLean.

## Notice to Trustees

The blanks for taking the school census are now in my office, and all sub-district trustees are requested, when in town, to call at my office and get them. The census must be taken in April, but the blanks must all be given out by the 20th of March. Please call and get them and thereby save trouble and expense of mailing.

Respectfully, Tobias Huffaker, Supt.

Mr. W. H. Clayton and Mr. J. E. Hite were here Monday and Tuesday and conducted the Farmers' Institute. On account of disagreeable weather, the attendance was light. Those who were present report many valuable ideas advanced.

Dr. Frank J. Cheek, of Danville, Ky., State Synodical Evangelist of the Presbyterian Church, will preach at the Presbyterian church here, the second Sunday in March—morning and evening.

Palmer & LaRue Musical Comedy Company with a cast of ten people, were at the court-house three nights of last week. It was very well patronized.

## Circuit Court at Liberty.

The Casey Circuit Court will convene next Monday. The docket is heavier than usual. Judge Carter completed the November term in just three days. The grand jury returned 31 indictments in that short period. Our speedometer got out of order and we didn't know how fast we were going until we run out. Circuit Court is an attracting happening in the Casey county capital three times a year. The people all come to town. This is thirteenth trip the writer has made to Liberty since March, 1910, and he will be a little "skeeered" this time. Mr. Walter Goff, Dr. L. E. Jones, Mr. Jno. D. Lowe and Mr. G. L. Perryman, of this town and county, will be in attendance at Liberty next Monday. Fred McLean.

Parcel Post Egg Cases 4 doz. size 11 cents. Five doz. size 12 1-2 cents. Russell & Co.

## Program.

To be given by Grades 4 and 5 at the Graded School, March 7th. Play "Pandora's Box." CHARACTERS.

Edimethens	Lewis Coffey.
Quicksilver	Mell Sinclair.
Pain	Robert Gill.
Pandora	Katie Taylor.
Hope	Nellie Simms.
Sorrow	Virginia Smith.
Naughtiness	Estelle Denny.
Evil Passions	Rollin English.
Vocal Solo	Eva Walker.
A Rose Drill	By eight girls.
Burlesque Flower Drill	By eight boys.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

### ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.

First Nat'l Bank of Columbia, Pltf. )	
vs. )	
Robert Hudson, &c. ) Deft. )	
and )	
W. H. Goff on cross petition ) Pltf. )	
vs. )	
Robert Hudson, &c. ) Deft. )	

By virtue of a Judgment and order of sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the May term, thereof, 1913, in the above cause, for the sums of \$300.27 with interest from October 3, 1912, until paid, and \$125.00 with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the 28th day of May, 1912, until paid, and \$44.70 and \$10.35 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday, the 2nd day of March, 1914, at one o'clock, p. m., or thereabout, (being County Court,) upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit: A certain tract of land situated in Adair county, Ky., on the waters of Russell's creek, and containing 981 acres, more or less, and is the land conveyed to the defendants by J. Q. Montgomery, and is fully described by meets and bounds in the Judgment and order of sale, which is of record in the office of the Clerk of the Adair Circuit Court in Order Book No. 13, page 491, to which reference is made. Said land will first be offered subject to the life estate of Mary C. Hudson, but should it fail to produce a sufficient amount of money to pay the debts and costs, the life estate and remainder, will be offered together.

R. B. Reeves is the owner of one half of the merchantable timber on said land, which is excluded from this sale. Or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

Miss Ella Walker gave a Martha Washington party last Saturday evening to her young friends. Quite a number attended and the evening was highly enjoyable. Refreshments were served.

Some one stole a fine turkey from the home of Mr. Sam Lewis last Saturday night. Sam says it was fat and in his opinion the one who had it cooked, enjoyed it.

Loose leaf tobacco market will close, for this season, at Greensburg, Friday, of this week.

Four good, young Jacks for sale, 2 to 5 years old.

Smith & Hunn, Columbia, Ky.



## From Illinois.

(FIRST DAVIS LETTER.)

Oakford, Ill., Feb. 17, 1914.

## Editor News:

Jefferson Davis, the soldier, statesman, and President of the Confederate States, of America, was born in Christian county, Ky., on June 3, 1808, just the year before the birth of Lincoln.

When the boy was less than ten years of age, his father moved to Mississippi and thus early in life was formed a connection with his adopted State, which became in after years a source of pride to both.

He returned to Transylvania University, in his native state, for his education, and in 1834 entered the Military School at West Point, where Robert E. Lee was his classmate. He graduated in 1828, with usual brevet of Second Lieutenant of Infantry. He at once entered active service, on the North-Western frontier, where he served seven years and was promoted to First Lieutenant.

Even thus early in life, his vigorous mind had decided on the question of States Rights, for in 1833, when it was believed that the Government troops would be called upon to enforce certain acts of Congress in South Carolina, which that State nullified, Jefferson Davis was prepared to resign his Commission rather than be obliged to take a part in the Coercion of a state of the Union.

During the Black Hawk war Davis and Lincoln met each other, and had some acquaintance.

In 1835 Mr. Davis was married to daughter of Gen. Zachary Taylor, she died September 13, a few months after their union. In the same year Mr. Davis resigned his Commission and retired to a Mississippi plantation.

When the Mexican war broke out, Col. Davis at the head of the First Regiment of Mississippi volunteers, marched to the Rio Grande and joined the army before Monterey, and fought at Buena Vista, receiving there a wound that placed him upon crutches, and the effect of which he felt for five years after.

Colonel Davis and his riflemen turned the tide of war by their bravery in this battle.

The political career of Mr. Davis commenced in 1843, when he first participated in local affairs, and in 1845 he was elected to the United States House of Representatives.

He was elected to the United States Senate 1847, and took his seat in the first session. Here he came into close companionship with John C. Calhoun, and other distinguished men of the country.

## Don't you Believe It.

Some say that chronic constipation cannot be cured. Don't you believe it Chamberlain's Tablets have cured others—why not you? Give them a trial. They cost only a quarter. For sale by Paul Drug Co. Ad.

On Feb. 26, 1845, Mr. Davis was married to the daughter of W. B. Howell, of Natchez, Miss., and granddaughter of Gov. Howell, of New Jersey. Mrs. Davis survived her husband, has written an exceedingly interesting history of his life.

In March, he was appointed Secretary of War in the Cabinet of President Pierce. While in this position he urged that the United States Army should in time of peace prepare for war, and was instrumental in placing it upon a stronger footing.

In 1857 he re-entered the United States Senate, and many of the most exciting events in the history of our country occurred during the ensuing years. They were the shadows of the coming war. The Guerrilla skirmishing on the plains of Kansas, arising from the attempt to force slavery into that territory; the disunion coming from the Democrats upon the question of Squatter Sovereignty; and the discussion of States Rights.

In 1860 Mr. Davis offered in the United States Senate a series of resolutions which were adopted, to the effect that "the states had formally accepted the Constitution as independent Sovereigns, delegating to the General Government a portion of their power for the sake of security, that the intermeddling of the part of any one of them with the domestic institutions of another was not only insulting, but dangerous to the domestic peace, and tending to destroy the Union; that Negro Slavery was legal, and that neither Congress nor Territorial Legislature had the right to interfere with it."

Lincoln was elected President of the United States at the November election, 1860, and immediately the South began to prepare for the war which was soon to follow. The excitement was very high in the South on receiving the news of Lincoln's election. One said "the die is cast, no more vain regrets, sad forebodings are useless, the stake is life or death."

Just a few days after Lincoln's election, the citizens of the low lands of South Carolina sent messengers to Columbia to hasten the action of the wisdom at the Capitol. Their message was "go ahead and dissolve the Union, and be done with it, or it will be worse for you. The fire in the rear is hottest."

About the 10th of December, Edward J. Pringle wrote from California, expressing the hope that "the black Republicans would take the alarm and submit some treaty of peace, that would enable the South then and forever to settle the question, and save their generation from a prostration of business and decay of prosperity that should inevitably come to both the North and the South from a disruption of the Union.

South Carolina passed the Secession Ordinance, December 20,

1860, declaring that the Union was dissolved. This act was received with rejoicing mixed with excitement and fear.

On January 9, 1861, Mississippi seceded from the Union, and on the 21 Mr. Davis, devoted to the doctrines of States Rights, withdrew from the United States Senate with a speech, in which he strongly set forth his principles, and to which an immense throng of people listened with breathless attention. He fully justified the course of Mississippi as a conviction of pressing necessity, if we are to be deprived in the Union of the rights which our fathers bequeathed to us.

In a conversation with Hon. James Campbell, Ex-Postmaster General of the United States, Mr. Davis said "Campbell I love this old Union. My father bled for it and I have fought for it, but unless you were in the South and knew our people you could not begin to estimate the bitterness of feeling already engendered there, and which will increase if Lincoln is elected."

The Confederacy composed of the States of N. C., Miss., Fla., Ala., Ga., La., and Tex. was organized at Montgomery, Ala., February 4, 1861, and their Congress proceeded to elect a President and Vice President. Jefferson Davis and Robert Toombs were the persons voted for President. On the 9th of February the final vote was cast, which resulted in the election of Davis by a majority of a single vote. He never sought the office, but it was cast upon him and he felt it his duty to accept it.

Alexander H. Stephens was chosen Vice President at the same time. Stephens was a native of Georgia, and at the very hour that his State passed the secession ordinance, he was standing before them pleading for the preservation of the Union. He told them that they had no grievance against the United States, and that they were seeking to destroy the greatest and best government that was ever established. He told them he would never lend his consent nor his vote to the tearing down of that government that their forefathers, in a common cause, fought and bled.

The Confederate Government continued at Montgomery until its removal to Richmond in July, 1861.

On February 18, 1861, Mr. Davis assumed the Presidency of the Confederate States, and delivered his inaugural address in Montgomery, Alabama. Unques-

## A Winter Cough

A stubborn, annoying, depressing cough hangs on, racks the body, weakens the lungs, and often leads to serious results. The first dose of Dr. King's New Discovery gives relief. Henry D. Sanders, of Caveedish, Va., was threatened with consumption after having pneumonia. He writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery ought to be in every family; it is certainly the best of all medicines for coughs, colds and lung trouble." Good for children coughs. Money back if not satisfied. Price 50c and \$1.00. Recommended by Paul Drug Co. Ad.

tionably he was the popular choice; he did not seek the office and there was no intriguing for it.

Hostilities at once began, and battles followed which are described in our historical records, as well as Mr. Davis' "Rise and Fall of the Southern Confederacy. At the expiration of the first year of the Provisional Government a new Congress was elected, and a new inaugural was delivered, February 22, 1862.

In May, 1862, Mr. Davis was baptized by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Johns, his mind having been prepared for it for some time previous.

The effect of the Emancipation Proclamation was unmistakable. It roused the South to a determination to resist to the utmost of a power that, as they thought, respected neither the rights of property nor Constitutional Guarantees.

In July, 1863, Mr. Davis addressed a letter to President Lincoln on the subject of exchanging prisoners, but insisted upon his title as President of the Confederacy. A second time he wrote expressing his views on retaliation. He also addressed the Pope of Rome, thanking him for his sympathy.

After the surrender of Lee and Johnson, Mr. Davis started for Washington, Georgia, with the purpose of making his way to the Trans-Mississippi. A false report that his wife was in danger, led him to change his course that he might join her. He traveled with her for several days, until they reached Irwinstville (now Irwinton,) Georgia, where he was captured. Many ridiculous stories were circulated at the time of his assuming a woman's dress, etc., but as he tells the story himself, he picked up as he thought, his own "raglan" or wrap, and it proved to be his wife's and as he was ill and suffering, his wife threw a shawl over his shoulders, when he passed her.

He was taken prisoner on the 19th of May, 1865, and confined in Fortress Monroe. On May 23 orders were given to place him in irons. He begged that they would not degrade him in this way, and forcibly resisted the attempts to place the manacles upon his wrists. "Let your men shoot me at once," he cried; but the order was executed.

He earnestly desired a public trial, and feared that he would die before he could have the opportunity to refute the charge of complicity in the assassination of Lincoln.

The irons were finally removed as a medical necessity, although he was too proud to ask any favors to the last.

On April 10, 1866, the Judiciary Committee of the House of Representatives, at Washington, though there was no reason why they should not, at once proceeded with the trial; and on May 8, 1866, a Grand Jury of the Unit-

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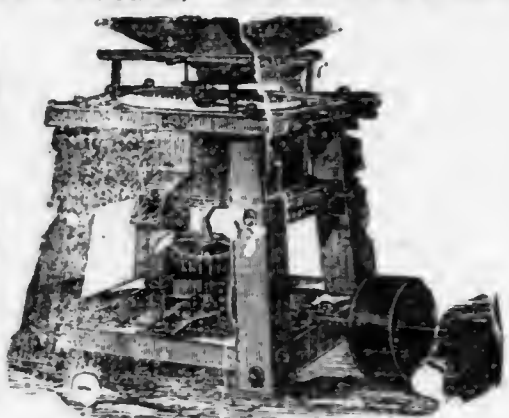
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Love feast 10:30 a. m. led by Bro. Allen. Sermon 11 a. m. Bro. Perryman. Bro. Elva Jones will have charge of the song services. Organist Miss Brockman.

Here is a special offer for the remainder of this month: The Louisville Daily Post and the Adair County News, both one year each for \$2.75. This does not include the Kentucky map which is being sent out by the Post.

**Creelsborian in the Sunny South.****Editor News:—**

I promised some of my friends that I would write a letter to the paper as soon as I had time, after I got permanently located here. I have been teaching five weeks. Began January the 5th, 1914. I have a large school and am liking fairly well.

I shall only attempt to give a concise description of Georgia and its people. I believe several of the Central and Northern people have the wrong knowledge of the Southern people, therefore I shall give a short story of Georgia and its people for the benefit of those interested.

Georgia, the Empire State of the South, is the largest State East of the Mississippi. It was founded by James Edward Oglethorpe, in 1733, as a home for poor. The colony was not very prosperous at first. These people who had failed to support themselves in the old world, found it very difficult to provide for themselves in the wilderness, but more energetic immigrants soon entered the colony, and it began to prosper. It still exists as a refuge for poor and unfortunate teachers. There are quite a number of teachers from Kentucky and Tennessee here.

The State is divided by relief forms into three distinct regions, or divisions, called Southern Georgia, Middle Georgia and Northern Georgia. In Southern Georgia near the coast, the land is low and swampy, but when properly drained, it is admirably adapted to the cultivation of rice. Slightly elevated above the coast region, is a level tract of country known as the "Pine Barrens," and North of this is an undulating section covered with long-leaf pine as the characteristic growth. Middle Georgia is hilly, and the characteristic vegetation is similar to that of the hilly parts of Kentucky. Northern Georgia is noted for its fine scenery. Here, the surface is wrought into rugged and picturesque forms of the terminal ridges and detached peaks of the Appalachian highland.

The climate is very delightful. It varies from sub-tropical in the South, to temperate in the North. The rainfall is just a little greater than that of Kentucky. Snow is seldom seen except in the extreme Northern part of the State. The dry and pure atmosphere of the pine region, makes it a favorite winter resort for Northern visitors. The climate is very healthful, with the exception of a small, low region in the extreme South.

The soil of Georgia is generally fertile, and yields a generous crop when well cultivated. The farmers have been slow to give up the old methods of farming, and adopt the modern, but it seems that the time has dawned now when they will abandon those methods that scientific farmers have proved to be poor, and adopt the new.

Heretofore cotton has been the chief crop, but the farmers are now turning their attention to the production of other crops, and to stock-raising. No doubt this will prove a great blessing to the country, which is really as promising a country as we have any where in the United States. The other chief products are rice, sugar cane, fruits, potatoes, watermelons, oats, corn, pea-

nuts, hay and syrup. There is a good deal of turpentine and rosin produced from the long leaf pine trees. The trees are hacked and boxed in the spring, and the resinous substance which exudes from the incisions is caught in the box attached to the tree. This is then collected and distilled, producing the spirits of turpentine. The residue is called rosin, and it is used in making soap, varnishes and etc. The State is also rich in mineral manufactured products, and lumber.

The population is about 55 per cent., white, and about 45 per cent., black. The main race elements of the white population are English and Scotch-Irish. There are very few immigrants in the State, and the people are more hospitable and sociable than they are in regions of more transient population. They are very energetic and enterprising, and we find by referring to history, that Georgia has produced many men who have distinguished themselves in statesmanship, in literature, and in war.

The schools of Georgia, generally, are in fairly good condition. The school system provides for instruction in the elementary branches at public expense, (though the patrons of each school district usually supplement the teacher's salary) for all the children between the ages of six and eighteen. There are separate schools for the white and colored races. The pupils, generally, take a fairly good interest in school, and are very docile. The leading patrons, who have come to realize the necessity of an education, are greatly interested, especially in the subject of agriculture, which is being extensively taught throughout the State. The teaching of this subject in the common schools has wrought a wonderful influence over the agricultural interest of the State, since the boys and girls are being taught that the farm is the best place to live.

I trust that this will serve as a letter to all my friends whom I haven't time to write personal letters to.

**Elmer Dalton.****How is Your Boiler?**

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**Resolutions of Respect.**

Whereas, It has pleased the Grand Architect of the Universe to call from among us, Bro. William C. Pickett, who departed this life on the 22nd., day of Jan., 1914.

Be it resolved, That in his death this Lodge has sustained the loss of a beloved Brother; and one of its oldest members, the community, an upright citizen and the family, a devoted and loving father.

Further: That we extend to the bereaved children and sister our heartfelt sympathy in this their hour of grief, and commend them to Him who doeth all things well.

Further: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, a copy be sent to the Adair County News for publication and a copy spread upon the minutes of Gradyville Lodge No. 231, F. & A. M.

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**Chunks of Information.**

A vertical axis rotary motor has been developed in France for use in hydroaeroplanes as it can be completely protected from water.

A sheet of oil catches the dust particles as they are brought through a new air cleaner for buildings or machinery requiring pure air.

An Englishman has invented an apparatus by which the percentage of oxide of carbon present in illuminating gas is automatically registered.

New automobile side curtains are made of celluloid panes set in rigid frames so that they are practically transparent when they are in use.

A rather complicated rat trap attracts rodents to a platform on which they are electrocuted, then drops their bodies into a box, out of sight.

Pumps which are being tested in a plant to supply London with water operate by the explosion of gas and air directly against a volume of water.

Vacuum cleaners are coming into use in New York for cleaning sidewalks, sweeping them after eight o'clock in the morning being forbidden by law.

**Cole Camp.**

Mrs. Mattie Cole visited her father, Mr. Hurt, one night last week.

Miss Willia Parrish spent Thursday night with Mrs. Lyda Parmley.

Mrs. Bob Cole and son visited Mrs. S. T. Irvine last Tuesday.

Mr. Hyman Baker happened to a severe accident last Sunday afternoon. He was riding his horse in a slow gait across the lot, when the horse fell brecking its neck.

Miss Ruth Thomas and her little brother, Joe Baker, visited Miss Mary Fletcher, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cole, who have been on the sick list for the past month, are slowly improving.

Miss Lora Fletcher, who is attending school, at Breeding, spent Friday until Monday with her mother, Mrs. C. C. Fletcher.

Rev. Karnes filled his regular appointment at Providence, Sunday.

Uncle John Cheatham, of color, died on the 6th of this month. He was fifty-two years old.

The Kentucky chart upon which is all the Governors of the State, map of Kentucky, three feet wide and four feet long, is now offered by the Louisville Post to every subscriber of that paper. It is valuable and should be in every home. We will furnish the chart, the Daily Post and The Adair County News, all for \$3.50 one year. Send your subscriptions to this office.

**SNAPSHOTS OF NOTABLE PERSONS**

John S. Williams, Comptroller of the Currency.



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With his appointment as comptroller of the currency John Skelton Williams became one of the dominant figures in the banking affairs of the United States. His office carries with it membership of the organization committee which will choose the locations for the federal reserve banks under the new currency law, and he also becomes ex officio a member of the federal reserve board. Two of his colleagues on the organization committee are Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo and Secretary of Agriculture Houston. Mr. Williams has been assistant secretary of the treasury in charge of fiscal matters since last March.

The new comptroller is a native of Virginia, in his forty-ninth year, and was educated in private schools in Richmond and at William and Mary college. He is also a graduate of the law school of the University of Virginia. Shortly after completing his education Mr. Williams entered his father's banking firm and in a few years became one of the best known financiers of the south. Perhaps Mr. Williams is best known as former president of the Seaboard Air Line. He organized this road, which with its consolidated lines amounted to over 3,000 miles. He has also been president of the Bank of Richmond and of several minor railways.

**Surgeon General of the Army.**

The nomination of Colonel William Crawford Gorgas as surgeon general of the army not only fulfills expectation, but is in accordance with the practically universal wish of the public. Over thirty years' experience in the army medical corps has eminently qualified him for the post to which his conspicuous work at Panama commands him.

Despite his military title, Colonel Gorgas is a physician and has done his most important work as an investigator of theories based on medical practice. His military promotions have been for ability in combating disease. The battles he has waged have been



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WILLIAM C. GORGAS.

against the deadly mosquitoes that bear the germs of yellow fever and malaria, and his victories at Havana and Panama have won for him the plaudits of the world.

For his work as health officer of Havana after the Spanish war he was promoted colonel by special act of congress in 1903 and a year later was sent to Panama as chief sanitary officer, becoming a member of the isthmian canal commission in 1907. At Panama he "cleaned up" and had yellow fever under control in sixteen months.

Colonel Gorgas is a native of Alabama, in his sixtieth year and was educated at the University of the South, Sewanee, Tenn., and Bellevue Medical College, New York city. He entered the army as a lieutenant of the medical corps in 1880. He was promoted to a captaincy five years later and during the Spanish war was advanced to the rank of major.

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It seems to us that if our Government, Federal or State, is to prescribe every movement of public-service corporations, it should become owner outright. We believe in reasonable restrictions of corporate interests, but can not see any good to the general public in a continual hounding of interests that are developing the entire country. Railroads, like other enterprises, in the main, are built and operated mainly as avenues of profit. Their building, and particularly their operation, brings development and prosperity to the people in general, and instead of cramping and discouraging investments in such enterprises, we would be glad to see a policy and spirit of encouragement to build more roads, and better equip the ones now in operation. In this matter we do not mean to yield unconditionally to railroads, but merely to make reasonable requirements, and to prevent monopolies that would deprive the people from the healthy effects of competition. Too many politicians are seeking to arouse the people against corporations merely to advance personal interests is our honest opinion, and we predict that the day is not far distant when the average intelligent citizen will see it. We do not believe in any policy that curtails development, unless such development is detrimental to the public good. Attempted force usually breeds resistance which is not good for either party while reasonable requirements, born of good motives, may be depended upon for good results of mutual interests. We believe in a live and let live policy, and take but little stock in the policy of destruction. In fact, we believe that more railroads are needed, more streams should be made navigable, and that both will be accomplished when the pendulum of public sentiment swings to its proper balance.

Criticism of the Legislature is general, and thus it has ever been. Justly so in many respects and unjustly in many. Measures are passed that should be defeated, and many defeated that should become laws, can not be disputed. To our mind too many bills of minor importance are introduced at the expense of the few of real worth, to give due and proper consideration in the short time allotted for law-making. To relieve this situation, to guarantee more cautious action, to give better time for development of worthy and needed legislation we believe that ninety days instead of sixty should be given the Legislature in which to do its work. Too often the most important measures are unduly rushed, too often their development delayed, due to the many little measures

that will come to the front regardless of the length of the session. If ninety days were allowed, there need not be such rush jobs put up. To lengthen the term, a constitutional provision is necessary, and it seems that conditions would warrant submitting this to the people. The pay has been increased, and the time limit should be extended and used only when necessary. At the close of every session the rush precludes proper consideration, and it is impossible for members to study the merits or demerits of many measures they must vote for or against. For the good of the people in general, and for the protection of the honor and standing of our law makers, we suggest that the time be extended to ninety days, thus giving ample time to make such laws as will best serve the public good.

## Greensburg.

The farmers institute which has been held here this week was well attended despite the condition of the roads and the preceding bad weather. A large number of representative farmers came from a distance and a healthy interest and enthusiasm was taken in the work. A number of splendid exhibits were shown although it was feared that roads would not permit even a few. About twenty of the boys of the Corn Club were on hand with their exhibits and the following received premiums: Ralph Tucker, first prize for ten best ears, \$10; James Bridgewater, second prize, \$5; Charles Bridgewater, third prize, \$3. J. F. Cabell received the first prize for best peck of Irish potatoes; Carrie Workman received prize, \$1, for best quilt pieced by girl fifteen and under; Florence Howell received \$1 prize for best dozen biscuits baked by girl fifteen years old and under; Lois Vance received \$1 prize for best loaf cake baked by girl fifteen years and under; Mrs. Lynwood Blakeman received the \$3 prize for butter, and Mrs. W. G. Howell received \$2 prize for second best butter; Mrs. B. C. Wilson, of Gresham, received \$3 prize for best specimen pair turkeys, mammoth bronze, and Mrs. W. W. Neal received \$2 prize; Mrs. Ida Paxton, of Rollinsburg received \$3 prize for best specimen pair thoroughbred plymouth rock chickens; Miss Lou Blakeman received \$2 for second best pair chickens, Buff Wyandottes; Mrs. W. W. Neal received \$1 prize for ducks; Mrs. C. W. Peck received \$2 prize for geese.

Mrs. Elizabeth Stone died this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Katie Mitchell, at the advanced age of 81. Mrs. Stone was born in Adair county, and was the daughter of Mr. Jack Smith. She married Mr. Samuel Stone, a son of Elder Barton W. Stone, one of the founders of the Christian Church. Mrs. Stone has been an invalid for a number of years, having suffered a fall fifteen years ago. Mrs. Mitchell was an only child. The funeral was held at the Presbyterian Church, the burial following at the Smith burial ground near here.

The N. Hobson Produce Company's poultry house at this place was broken into Saturday night last, and some valuable furs and an unknown amount of

poultry and eggs were taken. A number of farmers have lost poultry within the past two weeks and no clew has been found to any of the robberies, except at Bluff Boom, where a number of hen's were marketed. One of the intruders were noted and a warrant will be served soon.

Rev. W. H. C. Sandidge, who has been confined to his house since the early holidays, is able to be out again, but has not yet been able to fill the pulpits which he regularly fills. Mr. Sandidge is one of the best known ministers in the counties adjoining Green, and he has hosts of interested friends, who are glad to learn that he is improving.

The tobacco market at this place is still lively, although recent severe weather and bad roads have lessened the receipts this week. Prices have held firm, and are better this week than at any previous time. The market will close March the 6th.

The domestic science demonstrations given by Mrs. Mary F. Ginn, one of the instructors of the institute, were largely attended by the ladies. A great interest was shown in this phase of farm life, and Mrs. Ginn emphasized strongly the importance of mastering the science of cooking. She confirmed the statement of eminent physicians of America that poorly cooked foods are the chief cause of a large per cent., of ill health. She strongly advocated the use of a great amount of such foods as greens, cabbage, kale, spinach etc., and declared that if one needed a tonic in the spring for general debility, no better remedy could be used than the simple one of eating as much of these vegetables as one could possibly eat for two weeks or more.

## From Missouri.

Bogard, Mo., 2, 14, 1914.

Editor News:—

This is to celebrate the valentine season by sending the compliments of the season to every man, woman and child in the old Kentucky home, through the medium of The News.

Time and again I have written as to fertility of the soil in Carroll county, Missouri, and the products of this generous region.

Mention has also been made of the citizenship, and the reason to be assigned is the fact that it is largely made up of Kentuckians.

Some of them forget their allegiance to their native State; but while I left there at the age of twenty-four, and am now fifty-six; I cherish for her the sentiments expressed by the sweet singer of captive Israel when asked to sing the songs of Zion by the waters of Babylon; or the devotion of Ruth to her mother-in-law.

I have lived in South and West, and like both; but still regard Kentucky as God's country.

Among other celebrities of Missouri, is the hare or old field rabbit. Of course this animal is indigenous to Kentucky, North Carolina, and the South and West generally. But here their motto is, increase and multiply. I saw seven hundred dead ones at one time at the store of A. B. Skinner, of Mandeville, and he assured me that this was not a good day for rabbits. The pot hun-

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ters kill them every snow, and sell them at from six to ten cents each.

One boy, John Paul Jones, killed 45 one day, and netted \$2.75 minus cost of ammunition.

Tell Jim Cager Yates that Bram and family read and enjoyed his letter; and that my 8 months closes April 17, 1914, so he can get that "auto bay mule" ready.

We have had it eight degrees below zero, and have a big snow in places.

Melvin White.

Ono.

We are having quite a warm winter so far. Farmers are doing a good part of their plowing.

Miss Maude Popplewell passed through Ono to-day en route to her uncles, C. R. Dunbar.

One Mr. Sammy Bummett passed from the walks of men into eternity recently, but he left the testimony that he did not fear to die, as his death would be a gain of happiness in the glorious beyond.

The Ono high school closed the 4th day of Feb., 1914. The scholars regretted very much. They appreciated Mr. Ben Edmonds as an instructor very much.

Mr. W. L. Wilson has declined the idea of going West and has become reconciled with Russell, bought him a farm and concluded to stay with us.

We are having a disease in this section something like chicken-pox. Some say that it is more than likely to be small-pox. Some new cases seems to be very severe.

We fear that winter will come in the spring.

A good tide would afford an opportunity for the raftmen to get their logs to market.

Hogs seems to be on the slow sale this time. Fat hogs are all O. K. Corn sells at \$4 to \$5 per barrel.

Mr. Mark Wilson is improving slowly. His hair and beard not being trimmed lately gives him a frightful appearance, but that is easily remedied.

Alfonso Dunbar, while riding on a wagon, en route from a saw mill, fell off, the wagon running over his arms and injuring him very much.

Marty Wilson, while snaking logs over a chute, came very near getting killed by a saw log rolling over him. He was only slightly injured.

The dogs are playing havoc with sheep in this section.

Vianner Dockery died recently.

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## Breeding.

Mr. W. T. Reece returned Sunday from Nashville, Tenn., where he has been purchasing his spring goods.

Miss Mina Breeding, who has been quite sick for several weeks, is improving slowly.

Mr. James Fudge is very sick with appendicitis.

Mr. Tom Scott died last week at his home near Breeding. He is survived by one brother, Mr. Newt Scott.

Miss Addie Bardin's condition is no better at present.

Mr. Fred Simpson was in Columbia last week, where he purchased a fine bird dog, his having been poisoned recently.

Mr. John Reece is working the timber purchased of A. C. Pulliam, by Elrod and Co., into beer staves.

Mrs. Nannie Simpson visited her daughter, Mrs. Titus Mercer, of Milltown, last week.

Mr. W. T. Reece has been sick for the last few days, but is improving at present.

Mr. John Simpson was quite sick a few days ago.

Mrs. J. W. Reece is on the sick list.

Major Ottley and Mr. Will Wilson, passed through Breeding last week en route Columbia.

## Pickett.

There are a lot of people who have not burned their plant beds.

Corn is selling here for \$1 per bushel.

Mr. Goode, a hardware drummer, was here to see our merchants one day last week.

Mr. W. S. Pickett, of the Cool Spring neighborhood, was here one day last week, selling fertilizer.

W. G. Pickett was in Gradyville, one day last week on business.

Miss Mary Pickett is teaching an interesting school here with several pupils.

W. C. Rodgers, who has been sick for some time, is now able to sit up.

Tom, Aaron and Gilliam Rogers were in Louisville selling tobacco, a few days of last week.

Miss Laura Smith, of Columbia, is teaching a music school at Mose Rodgers, with several pupils.

The mad dog scare is not so bad now as it was a few weeks ago, in this section.

Mr. Van Whitlock, who is attending school here, was at home for the week end.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Garrison died a few days ago, and was buried at Pickett's Chapel after a short service by Bro. Leslie Walker.

## Knifley.

Mr. J. T. Hancock, has moved to his property in our town.

The epidemic of measles has about subsided in this section, as it has about cleaned out all the raw material.

Mr. Virgil Knifley and family and several others will leave this or next week for Illinois, to make their home.

Mr. Henry Sanders and Miss Florence Sinclair were married at the bride's residence last week.

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Columbia, Ky.

Messrs. Art Morris and Elby Christie are buying tobacco in this section to go on the Greensburg loose leaf market.

Mr. Kobt., Arnold bought a horse mule at will Goode's sale for \$111.50.

Mr. Howard Leach was in this section one day last week on business.

The Columbia mail hasn't missed but few trips this winter, as the river has been low.

There have been several public sales in this section this winter, of parties going West to make their home.

From present indications the tobacco crop will be a small one in this section this year, as there has been but few plant beds burned.

Mr. W. I. Ingram, of Columbia, was in this section a few days last week.

Mr. W. A. Humphress, of Absher was visiting in this section last Friday.

Mr. Nat Bailey, of Arkansas, a brother of Mrs. Henry Johnson, of Cane Valley, and Mrs. C. M. Bault, of this place, is visiting in this section.

Mr. Robt., Bault, who has been sick for some time, is no better.

There is plenty of water to admit the grist mill running at Plum Point.



## How to Detect the Alum Baking Powder

"Which are the alum baking powders; how can I avoid them unless they are named?" asks a housekeeper.

Here is one way: take the can of a low-priced powder in your hand and read the ingredient clause upon the back label. The law requires that if the powder contains alum that fact must be there stated. If you find one of the ingredients named alum, or sulphate of aluminum, you have found an alum baking powder.

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## Personals.

Mr. J. F. Patteson and his little daughter, Margaret, and Mr. S. G. Denny returned from a visit to Florida, last week. The latter brought the writer a finely flavored cigar, made in Tampa. Both Mr. Patteson and Mr. Denny are well pleased with their visit, but do not think that Florida has any advantages over the "Dark and Bloody Ground." The former will continue to sell goods in Columbia and the latter will continue his very profitable calling, sinking wells.

Mr. A. B. Gowdy, of Campbellsville, is visiting relatives in Columbia.

Mr. W. C. Queen, Mt. Washington, was here a few days ago.

Messrs. W. T. and R. T. Parrott, of Campbellsville, were here a few days ago.

Mr. R. B. Baker, of Mandaville, was in Columbia a few days ago.

Mr. J. H. Phelps, of Jamestown, was at the Hancock Hotel one day last week.

Mr. A. E. McNatt, of Bowling Green, was in this community recently.

Mr. R. F. Paull was confined to his room with Lagrippe, last week.

Mr. W. B. Patterson was in Jamestown the first day of the Russell circuit court.

Mrs. Lou W. Atkins has been in the Louisville and Nashville market for the past ten days. Her daughter, Miss Mabel, left Saturday, to meet her mother in Louisville.

Mr. W. H. Irvine, Russell Springs, was here several days of last week.

Miss Rachel Callison, who spent several weeks with relatives in Columbia, and at Cane Valley, left Saturday morning for her home in Middleboro.

Mr. Geo. Morris, a native of Adair county, who left here twenty-five years ago, was on a visit to relatives and friends last week. He now lives in Louisville.

Mr. G. P. Smith and Mr. G. R. Reed spent several days of last week in Frankfort.

Mr. Henry Ingram was confined to his room, with lagrippe, several days of last week.

Mr. Bruce Taylor left for Cincinnati last week for the purpose of having his eyes treated by a specialist.

Gobel Clayton, of Montpelier, who visited his grand parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones, near Columbia, called at the News office with his grand father, Friday.

Mr. Corbette Breeding and little daughter, Louise, were quite sick last week.

Mr. L. C. Winfrey was on the sick list last week.

Mr. W. B. Harris, of Berea, was at the Hancock Hotel a few days ago.

Mr. James McClaskey, of Boston, Ky., called to see the business men of this place, last Friday.

Mr. M. Cravens, Stamp Deputy, spent Saturday and Sunday with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Russell left the first of the week for Cincinnati and other cities in which they will purchase a large spring stock for Russell & Co.

Mr. J. B. Jones, who was sick last week is now able to be at his place of business.

Mr. C. S. Harris left Monday morning for Big Stone Gap, Va., to be gone about ten days.

## Local Market.

To-day.

Eggs	19
Hens	13
Chickens	13
Cocks	4
Turkeys	00
Geese	7
Ducks	10
Wool spring clipping	18
Hides (green)	15
Feathers	40
Ginseng	5 50
Beeswax	25
Yellow Root	2 75
May Apple (per lb)	

## Dunnville.

The groundhog seems to be a reliable weather prophet, judging from the amount of bad weather.

Mr. Glen Taylor, a well-known Adair county man, was married to Miss Ada Paten, at Rife, the 14th. Their many friends wish them much joy.

Several of the boys are considering the advisability of going West for the summer season.

Mr. G. A. Smith, of Columbia, was in this community a few days ago looking after his timber.

Dr. Lester, of Liberty, is here this week doing dental work.

Mr. Mack Rubarts and family, of Thomastown, were visiting friends and relatives on Luttrells Creek, last Saturday and Sunday.

Virgil Rubarts sold 12 head of cattle to Mr. Young, this week. Price unknown.

Rev. C. C. Baker, who has been in Washington and Idaho for the past year, has returned to old Kentucky.

Hon. I. N. Dickinson, who has been sick for the past few days, is now able to be out again.

Mr. John T. White and wife will leave for Cincinnati, next week where Mr. White has a position as book-keeper.

Jo Campbell and Squire Combest were in Cincinnati last week.

## Milltown.

Robert Borders and Alvin Lyon, commercial men, gave our merchants a call last week.

A. M. Mercer sold Tom Dohoney of Columbia, 25 barrels corn, at \$4.50 per barrel.

Mr. Alec McAlister has taken the contract to build an addition to our school house, between now and July.

Frank Cobb bought 2 calves from Rollin Caldwell, for \$39.50.

Guy Nell and Edwin Cravens, of Columbia, were here one day last week.

M. C. Winfrey was in our town one day last week.

Dr. Simpson Simmons passed through here en route for Louisville, one day last week.

Dr. R. D. Mitchell, cancer specialist, of Campbellsville, has been here treating a cancer on Mr. Jack Wright's eye. He has removed the place, and it has about healed up.

F D Cobb bought 10 hogs from Dick Breeding and 4 from Wess Skaggs, price unknown.

Mr. A. A. McAlister has removed from this place to Donansburg, Ky.

Mr. Richard Shirley has been on the sick list several days.

Mr. George Johnston was in Greensburg one day last week.

John Cabbell, of Miami, was here one day last week.

W. P. Head and family have removed from this place to Tennessee.

## Purdy.

Mrs. Abby Giles, who is on the sick list, is no better.

Mr. Mark McQueary had the misfortune to lose a very fine colt one day last week.

Mr. John Kimbler and Albert Burton left last Tuesday, for Illinois.

Mr. Willie Strebels and Miss Sarah A. McQueary eloped to Tennessee last Friday night.

Miss Evy McQueary was by the bed side of her sick mother a few days of last week.

The birthday dinner at Mr. W. M. Perryman's, was largely attended, and all reported a nice time.

Rev. Sam Sullivan filled his regular appointment at Purdy, the first Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. J. E. Burton's wife is no better at this writing.

Miss Cordella McQueary and Miss Ida Burton have been taking music lessons from Mrs. Ella Pike.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Burton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. McQueary, a part of last week.

Mrs. Louisa Campbell was the guest of Mr. Mont Bryant, last Thursday.

Miss Cordella McQueary was the pleasant guest of Miss Ida Burton, Sunday.

Born, to the wife of Mr. Mont Bryant, February the 10th, a seven pound girl. Mother and baby doing well.

## Ella.

Mr. E. Bryant, who has been in bad health for some time, is improving.

Mr. Mont Tarter is conducting a singing school at Whites school house.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIK CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.

Jas. T. Page, vs. Priscella and A. T. Carter, Defts.

By virtue of a Judgment and order of sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the January term, thereof 1914, in the above cause, for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars with the interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from the 7th day of October, 1912, until paid, and \$44.00 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday, the 2nd day of March, 1914, at one o'clock, p. m., or thereabout, (being County Court,) upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit: A certain tract of land, situated on the Columbia and Burkesville road in Adair county, Ky., and bounded as follows: Beginning on the East and bounded by the lands of the Hunter heirs and the Columbia and Burkesville roads, and on the South by the same Hunter land, and on the North by the Alexander Stotts land, containing 20 acres, more or less, being same land conveyed to J. C. Yates by J. A. Davis and wife by deed dated April 30th, 1909, recorded in Deed Book No. 26, page 152 in the office of the Clerk of the Adair County Court. For the purchase price, the purchaser with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIK CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.

Hettie Rupe, &c. vs. Kizzie May Rupe, &c. Defts.

By virtue of a Judgment and order of sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the January term, thereof 1914, in the above cause, for the sum of nine hundred dollars with the interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from day of sale until paid, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Monday, the 2nd day of March, 1914, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court,) upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit: Certain lands situated in Adair county, Ky., on the waters of Harrodsfork, and known as the G. W. Breeding farm. The first tract to be offered contains 72 1/2 acres more or less. The 2nd tract contains 37 1/2 acres, and will be offered subject to the dower rights of Louisiana Breeding. These two surveys will be offered separately, and then both together, and the best bid or bids accepted from which the most money can be realized, subject to Mrs. Breeding's homestead in 2nd tract. Should said two tracts of land fail to bring enough money to satisfy the debts, interests and costs, then I will offer the 18 acres sold off to Dock Rupe, or sufficient thereof to finish paying said debts, interest and costs. Said lands are fully described by the judgment and exhibits in this case said judgment is of record in the office of the Clerk of the Adair circuit court in Order Book No. 14 Page 151, to which reference is made. For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

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Mr. Luther Perryman passed through here en route to Columbia.

School will close at this place Friday.

Mrs. Mag Swiggett has a fine trade in the goods business.

Mr. Alvin Burton, our huxster, was here to-day.

## Week, Run Down? Here's Joyous News

Wonderful **ROOT JUICE**, Will Make You Feel "All Made Over" in a Week--Guaranteed.

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aches, and weak or dizzy spells? Do you have to get up at night on account of weak kidneys, have bad dreams, indigestion, belch, bloated and suffer after eating? Do you have a sort of "Don't give a hang" feeling, don't want to work feeling—things look gloomy?

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Come! You're doing yourself an injustice to go on feeling as you do. Give this wonderful body restorative a week to freshen you up. You're taking no chances this time. **ROOT JUICE** has got to help you. It has to satisfy you, remember that, and you can get back your money instantly if you want it. That's how good **ROOT JUICE** is.

All good druggists sell **ROOT JUICE** at a dollar a bottle and guarantee it. You don't have to take a barrel of it and wait six months for results either. Unless your case is a rare exception you'll feel wonderfully improved in a week.



## Additional Locals.

### Public Sale.

On Wednesday, March the 4th, I will sell at public auction the following live stock:

Eighth mules, coming 3 years old, pair of age mules, four brood mares, three safe in foal, fifteen yearling steers, four, two year old heifers, 4 cows will be fresh in the spring. One extra good saddle mare 5 years old. Thirty head of stock hogs, 16 sheep, also 2 yearling colts and 2 two-year old. The sale will begin at 10 a. m., and will be held at my barn on the farm known as the Jordan Page farm, one and a half miles from Cane Valley. If you want good stock this is your chance.

W. C. Vanhoey.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIK CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.

W. J. Tucker vs. Thomas M. Lewis, &c. Defts.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the Jan. Term thereof, 1914, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday, the 2nd day of March 1914, at One o'clock p. m., or there about (being County Court,) upon a credit of six months the following described property to-wit: Two certain tracts of land situated in Adair County Kentucky, on the waters of Green river and Caseys Creek. The first tract contains 95 1/2 Acres more or less, and the second tract contains— Acres, both are fully described by meets and bounds in the Judgment and Order of sale, which is of record in the office of the Clerk of Adair Circuit Court in Order Book No 14 page 134, to which reference is here made, said lands are known as the Wiley T. Lewis lands. The interest of the infant, Thomas M. Lewis will not be collected from the purchaser, but will remain a lien upon said lands, bearing 6 per cent interest per annum until said infant arrives at the age of 21 years, or a Guardian qualifies for him, according to law. For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved sureties or securities, must execute bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

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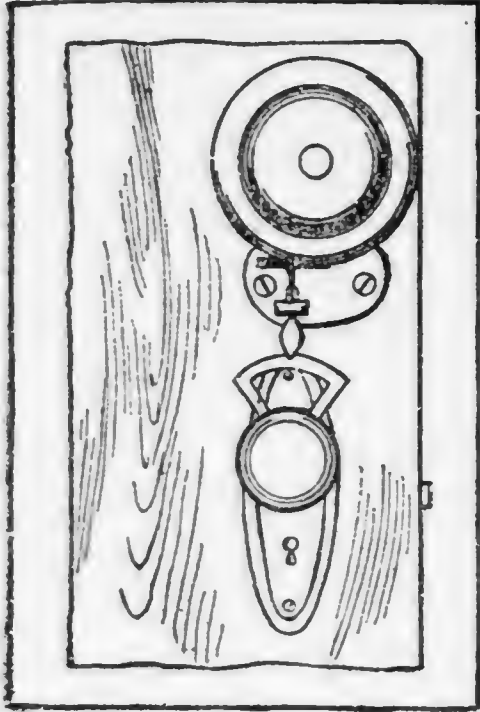
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### Mince-meat.

Boil three pounds of lean boneless meat, and when cold put through food chopper. Then add four quarts chopped apples, one quart of ground suet two pints of fruit juice, cherry or strawberry are the best; one pound of currants, one and one-half pounds of seeded raisins cut in halves. The juice of four lemons, peelings of three oranges, which have been through food chopper; one-fourth of a citron cut fine, one tablespoonful of cinnamon, one-half tablespoonful of allspice, one-half tablespoonful of cloves, one and one-half pints of weak vinegar, and then add enough brown sugar to suit the taste.

### Maple Waffles.

Vermont maple waffles are delicious when served nicely buttered and piping hot. To make them, soften one cupful of finely shaved maple sugar in three cupfuls of milk. Sift one quart of flour with three teaspoonfuls of baking powder and one saltspoonful of salt, then rub in one tablespoonful of softened butter. Beat the yolks of four eggs until light, then add the milk and sugar and stir gradually into the flour; beat thoroughly, fold in the whites of eggs beaten stiff and dry and beat again. Bake in well greased and heated waffle irons.—Rural New Yorker.

### Cheese Biscuit.

An excellent cheese biscuit is made by sifting together two cupfuls of flour, four teaspoonfuls of baking powder and one and one-half teaspoonfuls of salt, then with a fork or the fingers work into it one-quarter of a pound of cheese and add gradually about a cupful of water. It is impossible to give the exact amount of water, as flour differs in its capacity for taking up moisture. Toss the dough on a floured board, roll out and cut with a biscuit cutter. When in the pan sprinkle over the top a bit of grated cheese.

### Virginia Corn Bread.

Three cupfuls of white meal, one cupful of flour, one tablespoonful of sugar, one teaspoonful of salt, two heaping teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one tablespoonful of lard, three cups of milk and three eggs. Sift together the flour, cornmeal, sugar, salt and baking powder. Rub in the lard cold, add three well beaten eggs and then the milk. Mix into a moderately stiff batter, pour into well greased shallow baking pans and bake from thirty to forty minutes.

### Old Fashioned Souse.

Take pigs' feet and head, thoroughly clean and place in salt water to soak for twenty-four hours. Then boil until the bones slip easily from the meat. Take up and when cool enough to handle, carefully remove all bones. Mince or grind through a meat chopper, season with salt, pepper and sage to suit the taste and press in a mold. This is very nice sliced and placed in vinegar, or for breakfast sliced and dipped in batter and fried.

### Golden Betty.

To make brown betty with cheese arrange in a deep earthenware dish alternate layers of bread crumbs and thinly sliced apples. Season with cinnamon, a little clove and brown sugar. Scatter some finely shaved mild full cream cheese over each layer of apples and when the dish is full scatter bread crumbs over the top and bake thirty-five to forty minutes, placing the dish in a pan of water so that the pudding will not burn.

### Popcorn Balls.

Pop corn in popper, put in pan. Take teaspoonful molasses, butter size of walnut and one teaspoonful vinegar. Cook all together until it will harden when dropped in cold water, then pour over corn and make in balls.

## A Gambler Prince

By DONALD CHAMBERLIN

This is a true story. "Francols Blanc," said the judge, "what have you to say why sentence should not be passed upon you?" "Nothing."

"I regret that the inadequacy of the law compels me to let you off with a nominal punishment. You corrupted the young men in the telegraph office to publish false news from the Stock Exchange in Paris to enable you to make money by buying or selling shares, an offense which should give you not less than ten years in prison. I sentence you to serve seven months in jail, being the longest term I can give you for your crime."

Francols Blanc bowed his head and was marched away. When his term of service had passed he came out of jail with \$20,000 to his credit in bank. Right under the nose of the judge who had convicted him he established a casino in Homburg, which was really a gambling house. He made money, but a prejudice against gambling was growing in Germany, and he feared the time would come when laws would be passed that would ruin his business.

M. Blanc looked up rather than down. He aspired to run his gambling business in a country where he could so influence the laws that none would be made to interfere with his method of enriching himself. So he looked about him. In Europe there are a number of small kingdoms, principalities, dukedoms, that have been independent so long that none of the great powers have the hardihood to absorb them. Blanc found a little principality containing a few square miles only that seemed ripe for what he intended. What the powers dare not absorb by the bayonet he resolved to absorb by undermining with gold.

The ruler of this principality had descended from one of the oldest royal families in Europe, but he had nothing but his pedigree. He held a court. It is true, but his courtiers were those who served without salaries and were able occasionally to lend the sovereign money. In order to recoup he sold a concession in his principality to two men, who bought it with the intention of opening a gambling house on the territory conceded. They built a casino and began operations, but the prince wanted all their profits, and they became discouraged.

Francols Blanc, learning of this concession and the condition of its owners, bought it from them and, closing out his casino at Homburg, built a costly one on the new site, laid out splendid gardens—in short, expended several millions with a view to making his place attractive. Fortunately for him the time was ripe for such an investment. For many years Baden Baden, in Germany, had been the fashionable gambling center of Europe, where every one, from royalty to commoner, gave way to the passion of gaming. Baden Baden was now no longer such a resort, and Blanc aimed to make his concession what Baden Baden had been.

In this he succeeded. The gambling mania of Europe was all made to pour gold into Francols Blanc's pocket. Kings and queens, princes and princesses, dukes and duchesses, came and made it fashionable, to be followed by every one who had a franc to spend and a franc to risk. The sovereign had all the money he wanted to spend, and his court, if not numerous, were at least well dressed and were not called upon to lend the prince money. But while he held the empty title of ruler of the principality Francols Blanc was the real governor.

The prince died and left his inheritance to his son. The new sovereign proved himself really nothing more than a silent junior partner in a gambling establishment, and there was nothing for him to do but remain as he was, so he renewed the concession for a term of fifty years for \$5,000,000, a sum that Francols Blanc could well afford to pay since he made it in a single year. He could afford to do more than this. He furnished all the money necessary to run the government, including official salaries.

One storm arose on the gambler sovereign's path, but he weathered it. The prince's neighbors, not relishing a gambling principality so near them, endeavored to induce one of the powers on which it bordered to take steps to prohibit it. In addition, the prince's subjects became dissatisfied at paying taxes to a prince who had such an enormous revenue. At Blanc's request the sovereign abolished all taxes, and Blanc paid them.

This was the last bite in the loaf the gambler devoured. The prince, the principality and lastly the subjects passed into his capacious maw, for when a citizen sells his citizenship the buyer becomes its owner.

Francols Blanc accumulated a fortune equal to some of the largest in America, and, if he was only a prince in a financial way, he married his daughters to princes.

The principality that forms the subject of this narrative lies on the north shore of the Mediterranean and is called Monaco. It is divided into three parts, one of which is Monte Carlo. It is on this portion that all Europe, persons from all parts of the world, assemble to "buck the tiger."

If the present Prince of Monaco derives an income from a concession to a gambler he is personally far above the gambling business. He is a scientist and has made some valuable contributions to scientific lore.

## Secret of Happiness.

Truman A. De Weese, author of "The Bend in the Road," having seen nature with the eyes of a country boy and a city man, has come to the following conclusions:

I know of nothing so clean as the soil of a good garden.

How can a man live with a woman who does not love the country?

Whether it is apples or chickens or a garden, you must do some of the work yourself.

There is only one way to keep young and that is to pursue an outdoor habit with boyish enthusiasm.

Only the man who makes things grow and who gets close to the soil has solved the real secret of happiness.

The country is free, open and frank. There are a lot of fine people in it, but we cannot escape the fact that they live under cramped, unnatural conditions.

### Feel Miserable?

Out of sorts, depressed, pain in the back—Electric Bitters renews your health and strength. A guaranteed liver and kidney remedy. Money back if not satisfied. It completely cured Robert Madsen, of West Burlington, Iowa, who suffered from virulent liver trouble for eight months. After four doctors gave him up, he took Electric Bitters and he is now a well man. Get a bottle to-day; it will do the same for you. Keep in house for all liver and kidney complaints. Perfectly safe and dependable. Its results will surprise you. 50c and \$1.00. Recommended by Paull Drug Co. Ad

### Recent Inventions.

Machinery for inserting bristles in brushes has been patented by a Californian.

Apparatus producing smoke by chemical means has been invented for testing plumbing for leaks.

Electrically operated needles and brushes have been invented to make tattooing more simple and rapid.

A paper cap for a milk bottle that can be washed and used repeatedly has been patented by a Pennsylvanian.

A Maine inventor's apple corer ejects the core from the cutting tube with a spring as it is withdrawn from the fruit.

A machine to record the undulations of the bottom of a channel as a vessel passes over it has been invented in Argentina.

A New York inventor claims to get more useful heat from a gas stove than ordinarily by inclosing the burners with cone shaped drums.

A muffler which costs only two per cent of the power but effectively silences the engines is working well on French military aeroplanes.

We would be pleased to send the Daily State Journal, Frankfort, from now until the first of April for 50 cents. Or better still we will furnish the Adair County News, one year and the Daily State Journal until April 1st for \$1.25. If you want to keep in touch with the doings at Frankfort while the Legislature is in session, you should have the State Journal.

## Bowels are Basis of Child Health

The careful mother, who watches closely the physical peculiarities of her children, will soon discover that the most important thing in connection with a child's constant good health is to keep the bowels regularly open. Sluggish bowels will be followed by loss of appetite, restlessness during sleep, irritability and a dozen and one similar evidences of physical disorder.

At the first sign of such disorder give the child a teaspoonful of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at night on retiring and repeat the dose the following night if necessary—more than that will scarcely be needed. You will find that the child will recover its accustomed good spirits at once and will eat and sleep normally. This remedy is a vast improvement over salts, cathartics, laxative waters and similar things, which are altogether too powerful for a child. The homes of Mrs. Carrie McDonald, 1036 Trigg Ave., Memphis, Tenn., and Mrs. Sallie E. Griffith, Veechdale, Ky., are always supplied with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and with them, as with thousands of others, there is no substitute for this grand laxative. It is really more than a laxative, for it contains superior tonic properties which help to tone and strengthen the stomach, liver and bowels so that after a brief use of it all laxatives can be dispensed with and nature will do its own work.

Anyone wishing to make a trial of this remedy before buying it in the regular way of a druggist at fifty cents or one dollar a large bottle (family size) can have a sample bottle sent to the home free of charge by simply addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 400 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. Your name and address on a postal card will do.

### Mr. Pleasant No. 2

Our farmers are most through turning corn ground. They have taken advantage of the pretty weather.

Mr. Rey Page has been suffering with an attack of la grippe, for the past week.

Golan Butler sold a combined harness and saddle mare to Clem Burton.

After a long illness Mr. Creed Harmon died at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. Jim Harmon, near Cane Valley, on Feb., the 8th, 1914. Mr. Harmon was 78 years old, and was well-known in Adair county, and loved and respected by all who knew him. He was a member of the Christian Church, and had been for some thirty years. He is survived by five daughters and one son. His funeral was preached by Eld. Tobias Huffaker in the presence of a large audience of sorrowing relatives and friends. His remains were interred in the Smith cemetery near Mt. Pleasant.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Callison have been victims of chicken pox.

Misses Linnie Hutchison and Ann Lizzie Hood made a trip to

Columbia last Friday, on business.

Mr. Joe Hutchison and wife spent Sunday at the home of Mr. N. C. Butler.

Mr. John Squires and sister, Miss Mary, were the guests of Miss Mary Vanhoy, Saturday and Sunday.

Willie Smith was in Cane Valley one day last week on business.

Our Sunday School is progressing nicely with Mr. Hutchison acting as Superintendent.

Mr. Hugh Hutchison who has been confined to his room for several weeks with pneumonia, is able to be out again.

Misses Cora Smith and Bush Tupman were the pleasant guests of Mrs. Oliver Pelley, Tuesday night.

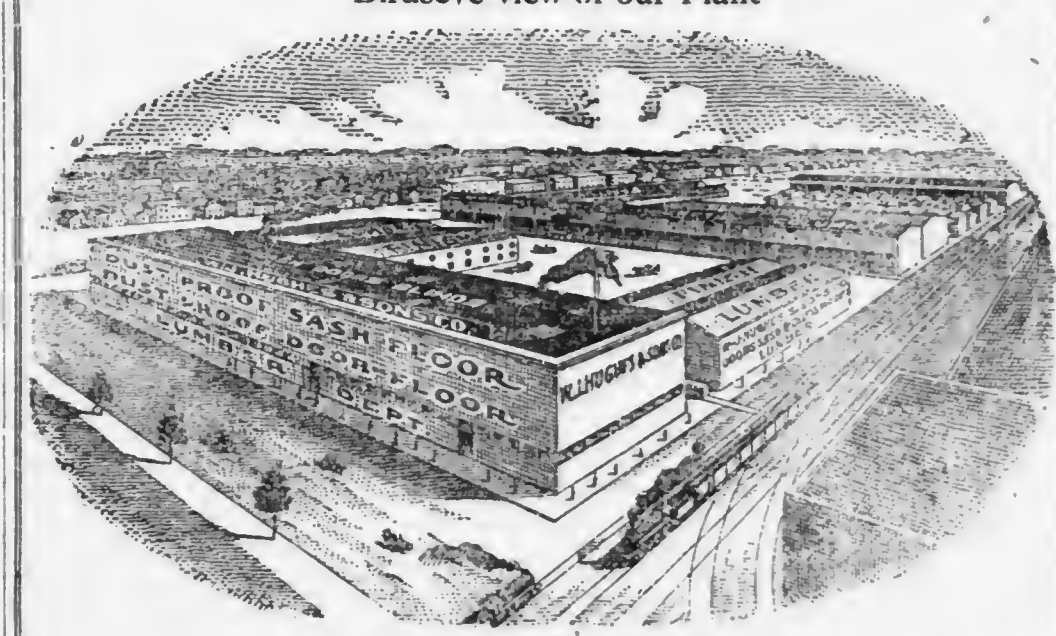
Eld. M. F. Harmon, of Louisville, was here to attend the funeral of his father, Mr. Creed Harmon.

Mr. Joe Hutchison and wife visited Mrs. Fannie Smith, near Ozark, two days last week.

Owen Cundiff, who is attending school at L. W. T. S., spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents.

Miss Rachel Callison of Middleboro, visited in this community several days last week.

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#### Mt. Pleasant.

Since my last communication to you, we have passed through a very severe spell of weather.

Miss Zella East made a business trip to Columbia last week.

Misses Amanda, Bettie Lee and Sallie Ed Butler spent the night of the 7th with the family of William Butler, and notwithstanding the fact the weather was hovering around zero this did not keep Uncle Bill at the age of 78 from helping the "kids" put things over. If any of the readers want to spend the night of their life, they should visit this family.

G. M. Cundiff and family, and Ed Hood and wife spent last Sunday with S. C. Hood and family.

Mrs. Golan Butler and daughter, Lucille, spent the week end in Columbia.

Mrs. Sallie F. Smith, J. L. Hutcherson and family and James Hood and wife visited the latter's parents last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hood called on Mrs. Sallie Butler a few evenings ago.

Mrs. Ed Butler and daughters, Bettie and Robbie, are spending the week with Mrs. Butler's mother, Mrs. Bettie Coakley, near Campbellville.

John W. Butler, who has been employed by the Greensburg Loose Leaf House, for some months, now has another position offered him in that city and will likely accept it at the close of the tobacco season.

Can you please tell us what has become of our R.R.?

I am sorry to tell you of the death of Mr. Creed Harmon. Only three months ago his wife died and now he is called to be with her. We extend to the bereaved children our heartfelt sympathy and pray that the giver of every good and perfect gift will deal gently with them and at last they may all meet mother and father in the better world, where no sorrow ever comes.

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#### Church History.

By the request of the session of the Presbyterian Church of Ebenezer, Green county, Ky., I will attempt to sketch her history, which runs back to 1798 or '99, when visited by Rev. David Rice, a church of 15 members with Alexandra Harris, Samuel Workman and John Moore, Elders, was organized, and statedly supplied at different times by Rev. David Rice, Jeremiah Abel, and Samuel Robertson. As to members received and dismissed, no record was kept until 1812, when her membership had increased to 26, and we find her collections for missions liberal. About 1825 the church was visited by Rev. Samuel Wilson and John Howe. A few members were added from the families of Cabell, Mitchell, Harris and Lyle. In 1828 the longest pastorate in her history began, that of Rev. John Howe, which continued until 1846, when they had completed and dedicated their second church, a comfortable building 30 x 40, located six miles from Greensburg on the Columbia road in a beautiful beech forest. The pike now crosses at this point. Her board of Elders at this time consisted of Thos. Mitchell, Dr. T. Q. Walker, Samuel J. Cabell and J. A. Mitchell Sr. The building committee was composed of Dr. Walker, Jas. G. Craddock, Frederick Cabell and Peter Anderson.

Fond memories seemed to cluster long around this pastorate which was terminated by his removal to Missouri. With this heavy drain constantly upon her, her roll carries 75 or more names, some of which are forgotten, and some have passed on to places of distinction, and all have finished their race.

Next the rather stormy pastorate of Rev. W. H. Woods continued until 1850, followed by Rev. John Hancock and W. H. Howell. Dr. J. L. McKee supplied the church, four years, his first pastorate until 1859, when we find his leaving caused universal regret. He might well be called a model preacher and pastor, and his children's meetings were the delight of all as his large congregation testified.

So they planned to build a new house 40 x 60 near the old one. The war coming on, it was not completed and dedicated until 1866. He returned to dedicate it; The ruling Elders at this time, were Charlie Patterson, Cary A. Griffin, Samuel Wilson, Sam W. Moore, Joshua Heizer and J. A. Mitchell Sr. The latter was clerk of session 41 years. Wm. Heizer and Abner Mitchell, Deacon; 75 or 80 names on the roll. They were a generation of true men that kept their altar fires burning and the lines well marked between right and wrong. In 1962 the church was supplied by Rev. Wm. C. Johnson until he took a chaptaincy in the army, died in December at

Munfordsville, about 22 years of age; A lovely man, mourned for by all who knew him. He was born on the mission field of Asia Minor. His life was aglow with the spirit of the Master—a spirit of service.

Supplied next year by Rev. H. C. Reid; another faithful ambassador, who was called to his reward while at his post of duty.

Rev. W. D. Symington next filled the pulpit: he was gifted as a leader of song and had the young people well drilled in music. The church at this time was divided, a majority stayed with the old church and employed Dr. G. J. Reed, uniting with Columbia in his support; the Southern branch uniting with Bethel in the support of Rev. W. D. Symington, Duncan and Crenshaw. For 12 years Dr. Reed labored faithfully among us (1877), followed Rev. T. M. Baldwin, W. E. B. Harris, T. D. Neald and others.

Early in the 90s the two branches were re-united under Rev. James M. Walton, five years; Frank Walton, five years; and Rev. A. B. Court, three years.

The present pastor, Rev. W. H. C. Sandidge of the C. P. church, has happily united Presbyterianism in this section of the county.

I cannot close this sketch without mentioning the many precious revival sessions in which the following labored with us: Drs. J. L. Lapsley, T. H. Clelland, J. L. McKee, John Hays, H. H. Allen, John Ragan, A. A. Hazel and others, and our Synodical Missionary, S. E. Wishart, D. McDonald and Jas. T. Price have been with us and brought a blessing.

As you peruse these lines gentle reader, may you get a vision of the power and influence of the church as she sends out her men and money to evangelize the world, and get busy. Of her membership 50 years ago, four remain, and as many elsewhere. Her doors of opportunity were never wider open. The present Elders are J. J. Craddock, T. C. Moore, John Cabell and L. E. McGinnis. Deacons B. C. Wilson and H. J. Paxton.

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Cleveland in 1913 gave nearly \$3,000,000 to charities.

Since 1900 Japan has more than doubled its exports of toys.

Panama sends about 5,000,000 coconuts a year to the United States.

More than 12,000,000 American women are affiliated with mission work in foreign fields.

A new apparatus has been invented for killing the tiny parasites that eat small holes in leaf tobacco.

By the addition of magnesia and an oxide an extremely elastic glass has been brought out in France.

The ameer of Afghanistan receives from the government of India an annual subsidy of about \$600,000.

Since 1857 there have been sixty disasters in the collieries of south Wales, with a total loss of life of 2,908.

It is said that Chinese girls take more interest in American life and politics than their American sisters.

The population of Manchuria is variously estimated between 5,000,000 and 12,230,000, the latter being the customs figures.

New York legal aid bureau for a fee of 10 cents furnishes a lawyer to assist immigrants and poor persons in obtaining justice.

Women are to be admitted to the faculty of theology, the synod of the canton of Neuchâtel, in Switzerland, has just decided.

The new civil code has introduced important reforms in Switzerland since it gives both parents equal rights over their children.

It is remarkable to what extent Sweden exports butter. After iron ore it is the second article of importance in the export trade.

Chinese in the Hongkong district have recently taken to ice cream. There is a tremendous sale of American ice cream freezers.

The foreign commerce of the United States in the calendar year 1913 approximated \$1,750,000,000 of imports and \$2,500,000,000 of exports.

Chicago leads the largest twenty-two cities in the United States in the percentage of increase in automobile accidents in the last five years.

The postoffice department of India maintains a life insurance branch, which has over 23,000 active policies, with an aggregate insurance of \$10,000,000.

The ultra violet ray is being introduced by Paris dentists for whitening discolored teeth and sterilizing them in such a way that they are less liable to decay.

In Argentina it is possible to lease not more than 40,421 acres of public land and to buy directly 6,178 acres of pasture land, or 404 acres of agricultural land.

In Guinea there is a tree which yields a peculiar kind of fruit—a huge fruit resembling in size a cannon ball and which makes a tremendous noise when it pops.

In proportion to its weight California redwood is the strongest conifer so far tested at the United States forest products laboratory. This strength is due to its long fibers.

Frightful conditions among the poor were revealed by the Dublin strike. It is said that there are over 12,000 one room tenements which house from three to twelve people each.

Three airship trips across the unexplored region of the island of New Guinea are planned by German scientists to make observations to aid men who plan to traverse it on foot.

It is said that the Paris Academy of Science has offered a prize of \$2,000 to the person who devises a means for domesticating the heron in order to obtain eggs without killing the birds.

The nizam of Hyderabad is reputed to be the wealthiest individual in India and one of the wealthiest persons in the world, with a personal income said to amount to \$2,500,000 a year.

After twelve years of experience of girl messengers in Europe, Reuter's Telegram company declare boys to be better, as girls are not at all adaptable to the work, are slower and more expensive.

Out of nearly \$200,000,000 spent last year in the treatment and prevention of tuberculosis in the United States 63.3 per cent of the money was derived from public funds, either federal, state, county or municipal.

In Stavanger, Norway, even peasants and fishermen use electric lights. The engineer of the municipal electric plant has organized a class of housewives for instruction in the use of electricity heated cooking apparatus.

W. F. Passett, who has done more than any other man to make the dahlia one of New Jersey's most extensive and profitable crops, has been raising this flower for more than seventy years. He is now eighty-eight.

In a new hotel in Worcester, Mass., there will be a clock set into the floor of the lobby. The dial will be of glass one inch thick and will be twenty-four inches in diameter. The clock will be run entirely by electricity and regulated daily by telegraph.

The Norwegian government has granted Rønd Amundsen, the explorer and discoverer of the south pole, permission to establish a postoffice on board the Fram during his coming trip through the arctic seas. This will be the most northerly postoffice in the world, and its object will be to send souvenirs from the unknown regions through which the Fram moves.



## Gradyville.

The weather continues cool for the past few days.

J. A. Diddle was at Greensburg the last of the week.

Leonard Walker and Rufus Pulliam, of Nell, were in our midst the first of the week.

Robert Wethington and Austin Wilmore were in Lebanon and Lexington last Saturday and Sunday.

Nat Walker spent last Saturday and Sunday in Columbia.

James and Will Diddle are putting in their time in the log business, near this place, at this time.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Elmer Cole, at Big Creek church, last Tuesday. The funeral was preached by Rev. Pardew before a large audience.

Mrs. Alfred Parson was taken violently ill one day last week. We are glad to note at this time she is considerable better.

Mr. Willie Jones, who has been confined to her room for several months with a complication of diseases, is considered a great deal better at this time.

Mr. Parson, of Keltner, brought last week a very valuable span of work mules from L. L. Bardin, of Bliss, for \$275.

Mr. Eugene Wethington, of Columbia, was looking after the timber business in this section a day or so of last week.

Rev. W. Christie and wife spent several days of last week visiting relatives and friends in Metcalfe county.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dulin, who have been in bad health for some time, are better at this writing, and are able to be out again.

Mr. A. T. Sherrill, one of our best citizens, who has been confined to his room for several months, continues in a very serious condition at this time.

The scare of mad dogs was aroused again in this community last week and quite a number were killed. No serious damage was done as we have heard.

Dr. B. B. Taylor, of East Fork, called in to see us last Friday while en route for Columbia. informed us that every thing was moving along nicely in his section and business fairly good.

Mr. John Morrison, the well-known hickory man of Columbia, who has been engaged in the timber business in this section for the past few years, is busy engaged at this place, at this time, getting out hickory lumber with good success. Mr. Morrison is a fine judge of lumber.

Mr. Lawrence Simmons spent a few days at Russells Spring the first of the week, with his relatives, who have been sick for the last week or so.

Dr. L. C. Nell was called to see the family of Mr. C. C. Stephens, at Miama, one day last week.

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## Crocus.

A new country road is being opened between this place and Montpelier, along the line of the old neighborhood road leading from a point near Mt. Zion church to a point on Jamestown road, near Geo. Helm's shop. This bids fair to be a first-class highway, quite in contrast to the old one, which was only ever traversed by a few of the bravest of persons, owing to the danger from falling over precipices or being crushed between the boulders.

Quite a sum of money has been raised by that element of our citizenship who wish to further the cause of God and morality, and Mt. Zion church has 21 loads of gravel at its front encircled by a stone enclosure. The church will be painted outside and inside, blinds for the windows, and other extensive repairs.

For the first time in fifteen or twenty years this community has a thriving, ever green Sunday School. Nothing speaks so well for a community as its ability to maintain a good Sunday School, which is an infallible evidence of a predominance of morality and thrift.

Mrs. Sallie Collins died at the home of her son, James Collins, on the 6th. The deceased was the widow of the late John Collins, who died about 20 years ago. Mrs. Collins was 87 years old, and died of gripe and diseases incident to old age.

Lewis and Preston Huddleston and sister, Myrtie, and Miss Carrie Vaughn and brother, Sewall, are in School at the L. W. T. S.

Mrs. Mary Haynes, of Montpelier, visited her daughter, Mrs. J. V. Dudley, last week.

The greatest commercial triumph ever scored in favor of this community and all the Upper Cumberland section of Kentucky, was made a few days ago when the United States Government decided permanently and finally to lock and dam the Upper Cumberland. Dams will be built as we understand, at Blackfish shoals, and at a point several miles below Creelsboro, and will cost thousands of dollars. This will mean the employment of hundreds of laborers, call for large quantities of farm products, and perhaps make pocket change more readily accessible in these ends of the earth. This will cause a great commercial awakening, enhance farm values, and ultimately, as has been said for years, force some of the railroads to the Northward to extend a good road into this section to resecure the the trade of which all reason teaches us they will be deprived.

## Kemp.

Will you please allow us space to write a few lines.

We have had some bad weather for a few days.

Miss Bertha Rodgers and Mr. Willie Stults visited Mrs. W. S. Rodgers last Saturday night.

Miss Laura Smythe is teaching a music class at Mrs. M. A. Rodgers'. Several scholars attending.

Mr. G. W. Dudley's dog went mad last Thursday and died Friday night.

A large crowd visited Mrs. W. S. Rodgers last Sunday, and had some very fine music.

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Mr. W. S. Kodgers is feeding a nice bunch of hogs for the spring market.

Mr. M. A. Rodgers has sold several barrels of corn at \$4.50 per barrel.

Miss Mary Pickett is teaching a subscription school at the Pickett school-house. She has twenty-three pupils.

Mr. C. D. Stults has moved his saw mill back to this place and is now ready for business again.

Mr. R. E. Pickett and W. S. Rodgers are talking of putting in a gasoline mill at this place.

Mr. J. W. Posey is getting along nicely in the goods business at this place.

Mrs. J. W. Posey has been sick for several days but is better now.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.

Bank of Columbia, &c. vs. Reed, Garnett, Monroe, &c. Defts.

By virtue of a Judgment and order of sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the January term, thereof, 1914, in the above cause, for the sums of six hundred and twenty dollars, sixty-seven cents, with the interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the 24th day of January, 1914, until paid, and \$156.65 costs herein. I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Monday, the 2nd day of March, 1914, at one o'clock, p. m., or thereabout, (being County Court,) upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit: Certain lands sit-

uated in Adair county, Ky., on the waters of Green river, and known as the P. S. Monroe lands. The first tract to be offered contains 23 1/2 acres, and on Surveyor's plat as lot No. 3. The second tract contains 28 1/4 acres, and shown on Surveyor's plat as lot No. 2, which will be sold subject to the homestead rights of the defendants therein. Should said tract, (lot No. 3,) fail to bring enough money to satisfy said debts, interests, and costs of this action, or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

## Eli.

We had a few days of cold weather the last week.

Wood getting is the order of the day.

It does delight J. C. Popplewell to get into a checker game these cold days.

Shearer & Co. are through sawing lumber at the Bond mill.

J. K. Holder has gone to Oklahoma.

Otha Lynch returned from Oklahoma a few days ago.

Luther Ashbrook has gone to Illinois to stay awhile.

O. L. Wilson, our merchant, is having a fine trade.

It is a girl at C. Stephen's.

B. O. Russell is still running a mill at this place.

Dr. J. M. Blair is busy looking after the sick now.

A few cases of small pox near Ono, is the report.

O. L. Wilson sold to H. Dunbar a horse a few days ago. Price unknown.

Hogs are selling at 6c and 7c per lb., and corn at \$5 per barrel.

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Mitchell & Stephens have there fertilizer in now.

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I keep constantly on hands a nice line of Caskets and Coffins, and Men and Ladies Robes, also a nice Horse. Location over Cumberland Grocers Co., Columbia, Ky.

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